

REMARKS

Claims 1-36 are present in the application. Claims 1-7, and 10-29 are withdrawn as being drawn to a non-elected invention. By the present amendment, the specification and claims 8, 9, and 30-36 are amended. The specification is amended to indicate government support for the inventions. Claims 30 to 36 are amended to correct typographical errors relating to the numbering of and within the claims. Support for the amendments to claims 8 and 9 are found in paragraphs 39 and 94 of the present application. As the amendments add no new matter, applicants respectfully request entry of the present amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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